





## FLUORIA WATER W

**UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE CORPORATION OF VICTORIA WATER WORKS ACT, 1872, and the Municipal By-Law authorizing the construction of Water Works for the City of Victoria, 1873,**

Applications will be received at the office of the undersigned until the 21st day of July, for the second issue of Water Works Debentures, and should application be made for more in amount than the issue authorized by the Act, they will be distributed pro rata.

The Debentures will be issued at par, as follows, viz.:  
\$10,000.—On 15th MAY, 1874,  
15,000.—On 1st AUGUST, 1875,  
16,000.—On 1st APRIL, 1876;  
Payable in twenty-five years from date thereof.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria having the right to repurchase them from time to time, the said Debentures will be subject to redemption by the Corporation, at pleasure, the numbers of the Debentures so to be repurchased shall be decided by ballot, of which one month's notice shall be given, by advertisement in the Standard Gazette, or in one or more of the local newspapers. The interest on the Debentures shall bear interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, payable half yearly on the first day of January and July in each year; the principal of the Debentures shall be attached to each Debenture for redemption, which also shall be paid upon presentation after they become due.

The security offered for repayment of Debentures is as follows, viz. :—

A preferential lien will be given on all works to be erected; also upon the land and other property acquired for the purpose of carrying out the works proposed.

In addition to about \$50,000 per annum, which the Corporation has the power to raise under the Municipalities Act, 1874, the Road Ordinance, 1880, and the Road and Bridges Act, 1890, the Corporation has authority to give to those wishing to invest in Debentures.

A deposit of Ten per cent. on the amount of Debentures to be issued is to be paid into the Bank of British North America to be paid into the Bank of Montreal. A receipt for said deposit to accompany the Debentures will be given to the subscribers. When they will be placed in the said Bank, and handed over to the Corporation, who presents the Water Commissioners' certificate of the amount of the said deposit, and the interest on his paying the full equivalent as mentioned in the prospectus. The interest on the said deposit will not being fully paid for on the day of issue above mentioned, the deposit of Ten per cent. shall be forfeited but the interest on the said deposit will be paid for the same purposes.

Mr. W. Green, C. E. has been appointed by the Corporation Engineer of the said Corporation. He has advised the proposed Works in bringing water from the River of the City of Victoria, a distance of between five and six miles, and the Corporation are giving facilities in carrying out the undertaking.

Application for Debentures with Bank deposit receipt to be made to the Corporation.

tion that may be desired, can be had by application personally, or by letter addressed to the Commissioner.

**JAMES D. ROBINSON,**  
Commissioner.

City Council Chambers,  
Broad Street, Victoria.  
19th May, 1872.

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# ANNUAL REGATTA!

## QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY!

Under the Patronage of His Excellency Lieutenant-Governor Trutch, Sir James Douglas, and the Senior Naval Officer and Officers of H. M. Fleet.

**JUDGE**—Capt. Cooper. **STARTER**—R. Brodick, M.P.  
**COMMITTEE:**

Chief Justice, Begbie,	Judge Gray,
J R Anderson, Regt.	Capt Layton,
T Burdett, Regt.	Capt Lumsden, Regt.
J Boncquet, M.	E Martin,
J C Baker,	Capt McNell,
Geot Oakes,	Capt Mitchell,
Capt Clarke,	J F Matthews, Regt.
E Charles, Regt.	Capt McLean,
H C Courtney,	A McLean,
H T W Drake,	Capt Nagle,
W Dunn,	R Nelson,
M Dickson,	Capt Kaymer,
C Dill,	A P O'Brien,
C Hillitt,	R Ritholt,
Edk Esson, Regt.	A Rome,
W Harris,	Capt Johnson,
J F Findlay,	T S Rankinhead, Regt.
R Finlayson,	Thos Shorlck,
C Fox,	C Thomas,
J A Graham,	F Summers,
Graveland,	G W S Thompson,
H S Good,	J E Turner,
R Giffin,	J Trutch,
C Good,	C W S Thompson,
M T Johnston,	Capt Thain,
F Jackson,	Capt Thain,
A Kneat,	W O Ward,
C Kent,	F Williams,
Cutcliffe,	Capt. Wilson,

**PROGRAMME:**

1st Race—Pair card race; with or without Consulate Prize, 1st boat \$40, 2nd \$10; entrance \$2 50

2nd Race—Pair card race; with Consulate Prize, 1st boat \$20, 2nd \$5; entrance \$1

3rd Race—Four card tug race, with Consulate Prize, 1st boat \$20, 2nd \$5; entrance \$1

4th Race—Four card race, 1st youth under 16 years of age, 1st boat \$20, 2nd \$5; entrance \$1

5th Race—Single article racing; Prize, 1st boat \$50, 2nd \$10; entrance \$2 50

6th Race—Single article racing, 1st oared girls; Prize, 1st boat \$20, 2nd \$10; entrance \$1

7th Race—Single article racing; Prize, 1st boat \$40, 2nd \$10; entrance \$1

8th Race—Swimming match, distance 200 yards; Prize, 1st swimmer \$10, 2nd \$5; entrance \$1

9th Race—Indian canoe race; Prize, 1st \$20, 2nd \$10

The above races are open to all comers.

Two boats of a class to start each race.

No second prize will be given unless three boats start.

All prizes to be made and orders delivered at the Committee Room at the Broomfield between 9 P. M., on Tuesday May 24th, except for boats not belonging to Yacht Club.

morning of the 24th, at the Secretary's Office.  
Let those to start at 8 p. m. precisely, and each row  
start half an hour after the previous one.  
The course to be from the George round Deadman's  
Island, passing it first on the W. and back on the E. side  
to the George.

By order of the Committee.  
J. GAY, Hon. Sec.

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Public that

## MR. S. PITTS

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my 17 p.p. N. E. GREEN.  
**If you want**  
**SAWS SET AND SHARPENED,**  
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REFERENCES IN VICTORIA:- C. C. Lane, Otis Furnace,  
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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
10th May, 1875.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been  
pleased to appoint J. TRAIGER, Esquire, to be

By Command,  
JOHN ASH,  
Provincial Secretary.

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Miscellaneous Advertisements.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
25th April, 1873.

THE Lieutenant-Governor directs the publication of the annexed correspondence, covering the reply of His Excellency the Governor-General to the Address of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, congratulating His Excellency on his assumption of the Government of Canada.

By Command.  
JOHN ASH,  
Provincial Secretary.

Secretary of State for the Colonies to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, Victoria.

Ottawa, April 5th, 1873.

Sir:—Adverting to your Despatch No. 28, of the 24th ult., I have the honor to transmit to you, herewith, for the information of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, a copy of a letter from the Governor-General, covering the reply (also enclosed) of His Excellency the Governor-General to the Address of that Body, congratulating His Excellency on his assumption of the Government of Canada.

(Signed) JOSEPH HOWE.  
Mr. H. C. Fletcher to the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia:—

In returning to you my sincere thanks for the cordial expression of gratification at my appointment to the Government of the Dominion, conveyed to me in your Address, I desire to assure you of the sincere pleasure it affords me to witness the proofs of the devoted loyalty to the Throne which are conspicuous throughout the Dominion, no less on the shores of the Pacific than on those of the Atlantic.

I trust that I may, at no distant time, have an opportunity of visiting British Columbia and making myself better acquainted with a portion of the Dominion, soon I hope to be brought in closer connection with the Eastern Provinces.

In the meanwhile I shall watch with deep interest the efforts of all measures tending to the development of its resources, feeling sure that your earnest attention will be given to whatever may conduce to render the future of the vast country West of the Rocky Mountains commensurate with the hopes that are entertained regarding it. You may rest assured that no effort will be spared on my part to further as far as lies in my power the moral and material prosperity of the Dominion, and my hopes of success are encouraged by feeling myself united in these labours with eminent persons, like yourselves, who are devoting their best talents and energies to so noble an object.

Gentlemen of the Dominion, Ottawa, April 4th, 1873.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
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HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be District Registrars under "The Births, Deaths, and Marriages Act, 1872":—

District No. 1. H. V. Edmonds, Esq.  
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New Advertisements.

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Charles Worlton, Proprietor.  
THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS, having been purchased by the above will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of its Patrons, and is hoped by so doing to merit a continuance of the liberal share of patronage accorded to its predecessor.

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Board and Lodging per Week.....\$6 00  
Do do do per Day.....1 00  
Board per Week.....5 00  
Single Meals.....25¢  
Beds.....50¢  
The Bar is well supplied with the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

**JANION, RHODES & CO.**  
Importers & Commission  
MERCHANTS.  
AGENTS FOR THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN  
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DURING THE ENSUING SUMMER will leave Soda Creek on Thursdays as soon as possible after arrival of Barkers & Co.'s Steamer, and Quenneville Mondays.

**Freight per Ton - - - \$20**  
**Passengers - - - \$5**  
**GRANT & ARNDT.**  
Roda Creek, 9th April, 1873.

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BOARD and LODGING per Week.....\$8 00  
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BEDS.....50¢  
Every attention paid to the Comfort of Boarders.

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Soda Water, Lemonade,  
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And all kinds of  
**Syrups.**  
Next to the American Hotel.

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All varieties of goods will be found at my store, No place more suitable for folks that are poor; Delay not, but get what you want. Everything I sell, Boot, Hat, Vest, Coat and Pant, A cheaper store you'll not find I can safely say, Now to ANDEAN'S store depart right away— Should you wish to examine you're nothing to pay. Views in oil, photo, litho, and steel, A desirable cottage, tender a price I can deal, Stettles, iron tanks, crockery and clocks, Implements, agricultural, Mechanical and locks, Easy fitting shirts, white, red and blue; Tables, tools of all kinds and every comb too. Yes! ANDEAN'S goods are equalled by few. To be sold cheap for cash to people with brains. On Government Street my store is to be found, Right opposite the Skating Rink curious abound, Every man woman and child ANDEAN can astound.

**A. RICKMAN**  
Family Grocer,  
HAS ALWAYS ON HAND A GENERAL  
Assortment of  
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A BOAT IS KEPT LONG, Nearly New Copper-fastened, partially decked, 3 sails of sail, 1 pair of oars, brass tackle, &c.

**WELCH, RITHET & CO.,**  
Agents for British Columbia and Vancouver Territory.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

**PILOT BOARD NOTICES.**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Pilot Board have elected Captain J. A. RAYMUR to be Chairman, and T. L. STALLSCHMIDT, Esquire, Acting Chairman of the Board. By Order of the Board.  
J. A. RAYMUR, Chairman.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the examination of ROBERT HICKS, as a Pilot, will take place at the Office of Messrs. Lowe, Stahlenschmidt, and Co., on Monday, the 21st instant, at 11 a.m.

By Order of the Board.  
J. A. RAYMUR, Chairman.

**PILOT BOARD OFFICE**  
19th April, 1873.

THE following additions to the Rules and Orders for the Regulation of Pilots and Pilotage in the Province of British Columbia, having been made and passed by the Governor in Council, in pursuance of "The Pilotage Ordinance, 1867," are hereby published in conformity to the provisions of the said Ordinance.

By Order of the Board.  
T. L. STAHLSCHMIDT, Acting Chairman.

To be numbered 88. If any vessel be stranded or suffer other accident, while in charge of a Licensed Pilot, the Licence of such Pilot shall thereby be suspended, pending the investigation by and decision of the Board.

To be numbered 89. It shall be the duty of every Licensed Pilot at once to report to the Pilot Board any accident that may have happened to a vessel when under his charge.

**THE following Resolutions of the Pilot Board is published for general information.**  
By Order of the Board,  
J. A. RAYMUR, Chairman.

The Barque Almatia having been, on the night of the 22nd March, 1873, stranded on the North-West end of Gossip Island, while in charge of Pilot Alexander McKinnon, and the P.L.B. Board having considered the evidence adduced as to the causes which led to the disaster in question, find that the said Pilot stranded the Almatia by attempting to take her through Plummer Pass when he was not certain of its position, and that he was guilty of negligence in so much as he did not exercise the utmost diligence and attention in the prosecution of his duty.

The Board have therefore suspended the Licence of Pilot McKinnon until the 1st July next ensuing.

**APPOINTMENTS**  
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
25th April, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Registrars of certain Districts, under and to carry out the provisions of "The Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1871":—

Victoria City and District, R. Woods, Esq.  
Esquimalt District, W. Fisher, Esq.  
Cowichan, J. Morley, Esq.  
Nanaimo, T. L. Fawcett, Esq.  
Comox, R. H. Pidcock, Esq.

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HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Returning Officers for the several Electoral Districts in the Province under and to carry out the provisions of "The Members Indemnity Act, 1873":—

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CAPITAL \$100,000—With power to increase. Divided into,  
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THE COMPANY IS FORMED for the purpose of acquiring the property known as the Beemont Factory, situate on Esquimalt Harbor, and the land contiguous thereto, consisting of Tanning, Boot and Shoe Manufacturing, and of constituting the same.

The purchase would include the Land, Buildings, Machinery, Plant, Stock in Trade and goodwill of the business, all of which it is proposed should be taken at a valuation to be made by competent disinterested persons.

The Boot and Shoe Department has for the past two years been carried on under the management of Mr. Fawcett, almost exclusively by Chinese labor, at a small cost, but the recent addition of the Tannery, which was found a necessity, in order to maintain a sufficient supply of good quality leather, has required the employment of the Tannery, and the introduction of further capital necessary for the proper development of the business.

The Tannery is well arranged, and is fitted with the most approved Machinery.

The Water Power which is utilized for the conduct of the business, is all that could be desired, and could readily be increased to ten times its present power, if at any time required, either for the purposes of the tanning, or for any other Manufacturing. The supply is derived from Springs on the Estate, is very soft in quality, and is never failing.

In fact the business is in thorough working order, and Mr. Fawcett's services as Manager of the Works will be retained upon terms favorable to the Company.

The Land consists of 540 acres, known as the Spring Vale Estate, some of which is of excellent quality. The Timber is of considerable value for firewood, the situation being favorable for early delivery.

The operations of the Boot and Shoe Manufactory during the past two years have been highly satisfactory, and the works are specially adapted to the requirements of the Provincial trade, have given general satisfaction, and at a profit successfully compete with the imported goods.

The sales for 1872 amounted to nearly \$80,000, which, considering the short time the enterprise had been in operation, shows the favor with which the products have been received.

The operations of the Boot and Shoe Manufactory at the Custom House for the year 1871 was about \$100,000, representing the value of the goods manufactured, and \$150,000. The importation for last year fell off considerably, the decrease being partially caused by the local production. In addition to the demand for Boots and Shoes, as evidenced by the Customs House returns, the sales of Leather produced at the Tannery have been taken into account, when considering the entire field for the operations of the undertaking.

The Tannery operations only commenced in August last, and the business has since that time been carried on for several months, the business of this department is in its infancy—a very important service, however, being produced at low prices by an economical process, and, as there is no difficulty in obtaining an abundant supply of leather, the output will be sufficient for the supply of the general demand for harness, mill binding, &c., in addition to the requirements of the local trade.

The Beemont Boot and Shoe Factory was the first enterprise of its kind established in the Province, and it has been carried on with success, and with assurance, as the population increases, very remunerative returns will be realized.

The value of industrial institutions to the well being of any country is indisputable, and as the hides produced in the Province are now being manufactured into leather, which in turn is made into Boots and Shoes, the country is thus enabled to secure the advantages which the production of such a reproductive industry would secure, and the business, having due weight with all who are in any way interested in the prosperity of the Province.

It should be remarked that this company will become one of the new long manufacturing industries in the Province, without any interruption to working or first of this transfer, and will therefore have from the day of its possession, revenue from a business which is capable not only of immediate, but, in the future, almost unlimited extension.

Most similar undertakings of any magnitude are now being carried out by the Government, both in Great Britain and in the United States.

The transfer of the property to the company will only be made upon terms satisfactory to the Provincial Board of Directors, based upon the valuation. The purchase money will be paid in the form of shares, and will be paid by the present proprietor, a portion of which will not participate in any profit until a dividend of 10 per cent. has been paid to the new shareholders.

Applications for shares may be made to the Secretary of the Company, the "Bank of British Columbia, or to Messrs. Drake & Jackson.

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